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South-Carolina GAZETTE.

From THURSDAY *August* 1st, to THURSDAY *August* 8th, 1754.

South-Carolina.

By His Excellency

JAMES GLEN, Esq;

Governor in Chief, and Captain-General, in and over His Majesty's said Province of South-Carolina, *and Vice-Admiral of the same.*

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS a most barbarous and inhuman Murder was committed on Sunday the 21st of *July* last, between the Hours of *nine* and *eleven* in the Evening, upon the Body of Mr. CHARLES PURRY, late of *Beaufort* in this Province, who, as is imagined, was forced by Violence from his House and then strangled, stabbed in the Breast with a Knife, and thrown into a Creek; his Body having been found, with several Marks of Violence upon it, *four* Feet deep in the Water, and about *thirty three* pounds of small Shot tied up in Bags and made fast to different Parts of it. And as there is great Reason to suspect, that several Persons have been concerned in the Perpetration of this Act of Barbarity: I have therefore, by and with the Advice of His Majesty's Honourable Council, thought fit to issue this my Proclamation, strictly requiring and commanding all Officers, civil and military, and all other His Majesty's Subjects throughout this Province, to use their utmost Endeavours, for the Discovery and Detection of the Persons concerned in committing the said Murder; hereby declaring, that if any Person (not being a principal Actor in the said Murder) will make a full Discovery of his Accomplices: And if the said discovery is made by a negro and slave (not being a principal actor) I engage to procure him his freedom. *Sarah Purry.*

no Domini 1754.

JAMES GLEN.

SECRETARY'S-OFFICE,
By His Excellency's Command,
John Murray, *pro Dep. Secr.*

GOD SAVE THE KING.

ADVERTISEMENT.

AS a further Encouragement to any of the persons concerned in committing the said murder, to make a discovery in terms of the above Proclamation; I *Sarah Purry*, widow of the said Mr. *Charles Purry* deceased, do hereby promise a Reward of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS currency, to any white man (not being principally concerned in the said murder) who shall make such discovery, to be paid him upon the conviction of his accomplices: And if the said discovery is made by a negro and slave (not being a principal actor) I engage to procure him his freedom. *Sarah Purry.*

ANNAPOLIS, in MARYLAND, *June* 13.

WE have a certain account from the westward of an engagement between a party of English and French, on the 27th of May past, beyond the Aligany mountains, in a place called the Flatts, about 80 miles from our back settlements, 240 miles N.W. of this place, and some miles to the eastward of the new fort on the Ohio, which was lately surrendered to the French by Capt. Trent. Some of the particulars are as follows: Major Washington had intelligence from our friend the Half-King, that a party of French were encamped on this side the fork, upon which he immediately march'd at the head of a company of about 40 men, but during their march the rains fell so heavy that they could scarce keep their ammunition dry; the French observed them before they came up, and speedily put themselves in order of battle, being under the command of Monsr. la Force: When the two parties approached nigh, the French (who were about 36 in number) gave the first fire, by which one of Major Washington's men was kill'd, and another knock'd down: The English return'd the fire, and killed 7 or 8 of the French, on which the rest took to their heels; but the Half King, and his Indians, who lay in ambush to cut them off in their retreat, fell upon them, and soon kill'd and scalped 5 of them. Monsr. la Force finding that they were all likely to lose their lives under the hands of the savages, called to his men to surrender to the English; they immediately, with great precipitation, ran towards the English, flung down their arms, and begg'd for quarters. Major Washington interposed between them and the Half-King, and it was with great difficulty that he prevented the Indians from doing them farther mischief, the Half-King insisting on scalping them all, as it was their way of fighting, and he alledged that those people had killed, boiled and eat his father, and that the Indians would not be satisfied without all their scalps; however, Major Washington at length persuaded him to be content with the scalps he had already got. One of these 5 that were killed by the Indians, was Monsr. Jumonville, an ensign, whom the Half-King himself dispatch'd with his tomahawk. Monsr. la Force, and 20 more Frenchmen, who were taken prisoners, are carried down to Williamsburg. One or two, it is said, got away before the rest surrendered, and it is not known what is become of them. *La Force* has the character of an expert officer, and the Half-King reckoned that the English had gained a great advantage in taking him, telling Major Washington, that *that* man was a thousand.

Col. Joshua Fry, who had the chief command of the forces gone to the Ohio, had lately the misfortune of falling from his horse, whereby he was very much bruised, and died soon after at Wills's creek.

Williamsburg in Virginia, June 6. Capt. Whitwell, in his majesty's ship Trepton, being on a cruise last week off the capes, met with a vessel belonging to Rhode-Island, called the Willing Maid, and another belonging to Bermuda called the Success, on board of both which finding a large quantity of tobacco, he [illegible] selves, broke open the store house where the salts were lodged, and carried them on board, where they tied the waiters hand and foot, and carried the vessels clear off, putting the officers ashore at the fort.

Halifax in Nova Scotia, June 8. The parliament have granted the sum of 47,000 *l.* to this government, for defraying the charges of the current year, and 11,000 *l.* more to make good the deficiences of the last year.

Williamsburg, June 13. On tuesday evening last, the 21 French prisoners taken by Major Washington on the 27th ult. arrived in this city, under a strong guard; amongst whom are 4 officers, who acquaint us that their commander, Capt. Dijonville, was killed in the action. Monsr. La Force, one of the prisoners, was considered by the French as one of the most enterprising and useful men they had, being a person of great influence among the Indians (whose language he speaks perfectly) and extremely well acquainted with the country.

New-York, June 17. A gentlemen who left Williamsburg the 13th instant, confirms the defeat of the French on the 27th past; and says, that the prisoners brought in while he was in that city, were exasperated at the conduct of the English, and at a loss how they could justify such an illegal procedure, as they pretend they were sent on an embassy from their commanding officer to Major Washington; but we may with the greatest justice suppose, and more especially as the English received the first fire, that had it been their fortune to come off victors, they would have told another story.

A gentleman from Albany, who came to town since our last, informs us, that his honour our governor arrived in that city last thursday night; and the commissioners from the several neighbouring provinces, two days after: That the Indians of the several different tribes designed to form the congress the 14th instant, were not come down to Albany the day appointed, owing, 'tis said, to one of their sachems ha-

JUST IMPORTED in the *Charming Martha*, Capt. *Chisman*, from *London*, and the last ships from *Bristol*, WHITE, BLUE, and GREEN PLAINS, and a LARGE ASSORTMENT of GOODS suitable to the *present* and *approaching* Season: To be sold reasonably, by ⁂ *CHRISTOPHER GADSDEN.*

JUST IMPORTED in the *Charming Martha*, Capt. *Chisman*, from *London*, a choice assortment of Goods, to be sold very reasonable, by ⁂ *John McCall.*

JUST IMPORTED in the *Bristol Merchant*, Capt. *Parsons*, from *Bristol*, and in the last ships from *London*, blue and green plains, strip'd duffils and strouds, swan skin, loaf sugar, bottled beer and cyder, nails, Irish linnens, F and FF gun-powder, shot of several sizes, with variety of India and other European goods, proper for the place and season; which will be sold, on reasonable terms, by JOHN STUART, at his store on the Bay. ⁂

LENNOX & DEAS

HAVE imported in the *Bristol Merchant*, Capt. *Parsons*, from *Bristol*, white, blue, and green plains, strip'd duffils, flannels, Glouceſter cheese, short pipes, and small sized swan shot: And in the *Charming Martha*, Capt. *Chisman*, from *London*, best London duffils, bohea tea, loaf sugar, and sweet oil, with variety of other goods suitable to the season: To be sold on reasonable terms, at their store on the Bay. ⁂

STRAY'D or stolen from about *Charles-Town*, on the 23d of *March* last, in the night, a bay horse 14 hands high, with a star in his forehead, and branded on the mounting shoulder M; he is about 9 years old, and does not pace. If taken up within 20 miles and bro't to me, I'll give 5 pounds, if at a greater distance more in proportion. *Joseph Ward.*

JUST IMPORTED in the *Bristol Merchant*, Capt. *Parsons*, from *Bristol*, white, blue, and green Plains, which, with duffil Blankets, and a Variety of all other Goods to suit the season, will be sold very reasonable, by BREMAR & NEYLE.

Who have also to dispose of, the remainder of the Rev. Mr. *Alexander Garden's* Library. And, to be lett, a very convenient dwelling house opposite to Mrs. Baker's in Tradd-street, with 4 fire-places, a good kitchen and wash-house, and a very good garden. ⁂

MARTHA LOGAN (who lives in a pleasant airy Situation without the Gate near Mr. *Hopton's*) again proposes to keep a BOARDING SCHOOL: Any Gentlemen or Ladies that will favour her with their Children, may depend on her faithful Discharge of Duty towards them ——She teaches to *Read* and *Draw*; likewise, all kinds of *Tent* and *Dresden Work*, *Embroidery* with Silk, Crualla, or silver and gold Thread, and all other sorts of Work necessary or useful in Families; and will provide a Master to teach *Writing* and *Arithmetic*.——☞ *She has several lots in town, which she will lease for a reasonable time to any person that will build upon them.* ⁂

TO BE SOLD at the *Hoospa* muster-field, on the *Indian* land, on the 14th of *September* next, a choice parcel of Negroes, and a stock of horses on *Lady's* island, belonging to the estate of *George Cuthing* deceased. Credit will be given 'till the first of *January* next, by

⁂ *James Hartley, Andrew Deveaux*, executors.

JUST IMPORTED, in the Brigt. *Anne & Mary*, Capt. *Harrison*, from *Philadelphia*, best *Minicint* FLOUR, ship BREAD, *Philadelphia* BEER, and bar IRON, to be sold by

AUSTIN & LAURENS.

BOSTON

BOSTON, *in* NEW ENGLAND, *June 24.*

SATURDAY last, about 12 o'clock, his excellency our governor, attended by his majesty's council, the civil and military officers, and a great number of merchants and other gentlemen, marched from the court-house to the end of the long wharf, where his excellency embark'd on board the ship Bourcau, Joseph Inches commander; and as she went down, his excellency was saluted by the town batteries, and by cannon planted upon the several wharfs for that purpose. When the ship came abreast of the castle, his excellency was saluted by the cannon of that fortress, which salute was returned by the cannon on board the ship; and there being 8 transport vessels, with about 600 troops on board, besides the country sloop, waiting for his excellency's coming down, they all sail'd together with a fair wind for Casco Bay, in the eastern part of this province. Several members of the council and house of representatives, besides a great number of other gentlemen, are gone down with his excellency, and intend to accompany him 'till his return.

Annapolis, June 27. We have certain information that nine of the French soldiers, from the fort which was delivered up by ensign Ward, have deserted, and come over to Major Washington.

Boston, July 1. We have certain advice, that his excellency, with the gentlemen that attended him, and all the transports with the troops, arrived at Falmouth in Casco Bay on wednesday last.

Philadelphia, July 4. We are informed, by a gentleman who has lately been at the English camp, about 40 miles from that of the French, that the latter having sent out a small party, in order to get information of the situation of our forces, and they getting intelligence thereof, Capt. Montour, with 50 men, went in search of them; with whom he accordingly fell in and engaged, some of which were kill'd and the rest made prisoners.

Boston, July 9. We have advice, by letters from Falmouth in Casco Bay of the 3d and 4th instant, that the transports were got in well, and all the soldiers in good health: That they there met with 42 Indians, 27 of which were males, chiefly of the Norridgewalk tribe: That on friday the 28th ult. his excellency our governor was pleased to open the treaty with them, and the day following let them know his design and and resolution of building a fort at Teutonock Falls; which the Indians on the next day following objected to; but after further conference, they took the matter again under consideration, and the next day declared, that they were willing the governor should build a fort according to his desire, that he might do it where he pleased on Kennebeck-River; and that the English might settle their lands which they had lately purchased without any molestation from them. That the [illegible] very desirous of continuing in friendship. That on the 3d instant the said Indians had a great dance, and the next morning departed home well satisfied. That on the friday before, the governor sent an express to St. George's to invite the Penobscots; and that they have since had certain news that they were coming.

New York, July 8. By the last advices from Albany we are informed, that none of the Indians came down 'till the 26th of June: That the Mohawks did not arrive before the 27th in the evening, Hendrick, their sachem, the next day: That he gave or delivered his speech to the Indians, in behalf of this and all the provinces, on the 29th: That several of the Indian sachems spoke to the governor the day before he made his speech to them: That they were to give their several answers on the first instant: And, that the Indians seem to be in a very good temper towards the English, notwithstanding the artifices of the French to induce them to the contrary.

Boston, July 15. Wednesday last arrived from Falmouth in Casco-Bay, the ship Bourcau, Capt. Inches, (in the government's service), with several of his majesty's council, the speaker and divers members of the house of representatives, who attended the governor to the eastward, and were present at the conference with the Indians. By them we have the agreeable news, that the Norridgewalks and Penobscots readily ratified and confirmed the former peace, and told the governor, they had no objections to his building forts wherever he thought fit; and as a proof of their sincerity (*Indian sincerity*) several of their young men desired to come and reside among us, 5 of whom are already in town, and several of their children are expected in the fall, for the benefit of education. That Major-General Winslow, with the forces under his command, was gone up Kennebeck River, to build several forts thereon, and that when he had seen them in good forwardness, he was to leave a sufficient number of his troops to protect the workmen 'till they were finished, while he, with 500 more, marched to the head of the rivers where it has been reported the French had erected forts and made settlements; [This the Indians utterly deny.] and if he finds any French settled there, has orders to warn them off, and if they refuse to obey, then to compel them by force. And that his excellency intended to stay at Falmouth some time longer to expedite the important affairs now carrying on in the eastern parts.

We hear, our forces now at the eastward, amount to about 1000 men, as likely spry fellows, in general, as ever were raised in New England.

Philadelphia, July 11. Since our last a gentleman arrived here from Alexandria (in Virginia), and informed us, that before he set out, he saw a letter from Col. Washington to his friend there, advising, that he designed to march immediately and attack the French with the forces he had then under him, being above 500 white men, besides Indians, and not to wait the arrival of the other troops designed for his camp: That all with him, white men and Indians, were in high spirits, and eager for action, having plenty of everything: And that on the contrary, he had good intelligence the enemy were in great want of provisions, their number vastly inferior to what they had been represented, and that in general they were dissatisfied, which occasioned a daily desertion among them; so that he had great hopes of getting the better of them without much bloodshed.

The gentleman further added, that 170 of the North Carolina men, and the New York companies, were at Alexandria when he left it; and that above 100 stout men from South Carolina had gone from Alexandria for the camp, but whether they had got to it or not he could not tell.

We hear from Albany, that the Indians there seemed highly pleased on receiving the news from Ohio of the defeat of a party of the French by the English.

Boston, July 23. This day 7 night came to town, the hon. Thomas Hutchinson, Esq; judge of probate for this county, and one of the commissioners at the late convention at Albany. We are informed, that the Indians had all left that city in good temper; but that much fewer attended the interview, than heretofore had been usual. That the commissioners from the several governments were unanimously of opinion, that an union of the colonies was absolutely necessary in order to defeat the schemes of the French: That a representation of the state of the British interest on this continent, as it then related to the French and Indians, has been drawn up and approved of: And, that a plan of union has likewise been projected, and will, by the said commissioners, be laid before their respective constituents. All the commissioners left Albany the 12th instant.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

☞ THE Ship *Charming Martha*, *George Chisman* Master, which has very good Accommodations for Passengers, will sail for LONDON in *Ten* Days. For Passage, treat with Mr. *Gadsden* or said Master.

N.B. *She lies at Col. Beale's Wharf.*

AS very few have shewn any regard to our former advertisement, We therefore give this last notice to all persons indebted to us, earnestly to pay off, or settle, their several accompts by the first of *October* next.

LINING & CHALMERS.

ALL Persons who have any demands on the estate of *James Summers*, late of *George-Town Winyah*, deceased, are desired to send in their accompts properly attested to PAUL TRAPIER, JOSEPH BROWN, or THO HASELL.

STRAY'D or stolen from Mr. *Harris*'s pasture, on sunday the 21st of July, a bay horse about 14 hands and an half high, with a black mane and tail, branded with BS on the mounting shoulder, and galled a little on the breast and shoulders with chair harness. Whoever delivers him to Mr. *Harris* or me, shall have 40 *s.* reward. *John Murray.*

THIS is to give notice to all persons that have subscribed towards the building of a chapel at *Pon pon* in *St. Bartholomew's* parish, that they pay in their several subscriptions by the 25th instant, to the subscribers hereof.

John Cochran, Gideon Dupont, church-wardens.

TAKEN up by *John Gregg*, on the north side of *Black* river, from among his own creatures in the woods, an undock't, unbranded, two year old bay mare. The owner may have her, upon proving his property according to law, before

JOHN LIVINSTON.

RUN AWAY, a slender negro fellow, this country born, about 22 years of age, a sadler by trade, calls himself *King* but is named *James*, and belonged formerly to Mrs. Jordan: Also a short, thick set, limping wench, about 21 years old, had on an osnabrug shift, a blue linnen and a quilted green petticoat, and a blue and white strip'd jacket. I'll give 5 *l.* reward for taking *King*, and 40 *s.* for *Dinah*; but am determined to prosecute whoever harbours or employs either of them.

WILLIAM SHEPARD.

WHEREAS I am informed, that a young grey horse is come into the pasture of one of my neighbours, in the parish of St. *James Goose* creek, mark'd on the mounting shoulder with a d amond and something like a ○ thus joined to the upper angle, and thus ⌀ to the lower, with a switch tail, and grey mane. Whoever claims the said horse, may have him, after proving his right before

Thomas Wright.

A Black mare, about 12 hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder with an heart reversed and an I join'd thereto, on the mounting buttock the same brand and 31, and on the off shoulder B, with a piece cut out of his right ear; taken up at *Wm. Green*'s plantation in *Craven* county. The owner may apply to ⊕ *Paul Trapier.*

TO BE SOLD intire or in parcels, the house and lands belonging to Messrs. *Jermyn & Charles Wright*, commonly called the point, situate in *Ansonsburgh*, containing 17 acres within the brick wall. Also several lots without the wall, and the wharf and marsh. Whoever is inclinable to purchase the same or any part thereof, may treat with the subscriber. The pleasant situation and conveniencies attending the above lands, are too well known to require any illustration. JAMES WRIGHT.

For BOSTON, or *RHODE-I*

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(If the sail in Eight Days, prec

HAVING Two Thirds of her Cargo already engaged: For Freight or Passage, agree with said Master on board, at Col. *Beale*'s Wharff, or

GLEN & COOPER.

ANY Person inclinable to undertake the Bridge over *Ashley-River*, may apply to the subscriber; who hereby advertises for sale, a plantation on *Wando*, formerly Col. *Lynch*'s; as also a store on the corner of *Queen street* on the Bay, where is to be sold old *West-India* rum and *Jamaica* muscovado sugar, at very moderate rates.

THOMAS SMITH.

TAKEN from among a gang of wild horses, in the forks of *Edisto*, a brown bay horse about 14 hands high, a little saddle-back'd, branded on the mounting shoulder IM in one, and on the off shoulder IM, with a saddle spot on his mounting side. The owner may have him again, by inquiring of *Gavin Pou*, in the forks of *Edisto*, first proving his property and paying the charges. ⊖

JUST IMPORTED *in the* Charming Martha, *Capt.* Chisman, *and the* Friendship, *Capt.* Ball, *from* London, — *a large assortment of ribbons, ribbon laces, ferrits, nonsopretties, quality bindings; thread, silk, and cotton mittens, lamb gloves and mitts; shades of worsteds, and super fine canvas; choice needles, blunts, sharps, and others; bed binding, belladine silk; womens, boys and girls thread and cotton hose, mens silk ditto; cock's-comb, gauze handkerchers, footing, lace borders, great variety of tapes; coarse and fine* Scotch, *nuns, and other threads; a very large and choice assortment of womens and girls shoes, sattin caps, dimity and ticken pockets, union cord, garlix and cambrick, wash balls, hair powder, powder boxes, and puffs, teeth-brushes, patches, stone and powder blue,* Poland *and* English *starch,—super fine green tea, and single refined* SUGAR, — *cinnamon, nutmegs, cloves and mace,—neat rings, silver shoe buckles, and stone buttons, setts of tea-spoons,* —Greenough's *tincture, a liquid for colouring the hair, a royal milk-water which takes off freckles, &c. honey, rose, and ladender waters,* British *oil,* Turlington's *balsam,* James's *powders,* Anderson's *pills, syrop de capilaire, essence of lemons, — variety of neat smelling bottles, and* French *snuff-boxes,—rapee and* Scotch *snuff,—check'd linnen, strip'd holland,—horn books, primers, psalters, testaments, dyche's and london spelling books, with great variety of entertaining books for children, writing paper, paper cases, quills and ink-powder,— black, blue, buff and scarlet worsted breeches patterns, good and cheap,— watch and cane strings; ivory and horn combs, variety of cruet stands, shaving equipages in cases, soap for ditto in boxes, blacking balls, &c. which, with variety of other articles too tedious to enumerate in an advertisement, are to be sold, on the most reasonable terms, at the Printer's, by*

SAMUEL KYNASTON.

DOWNES & NICHOLSON have just imported, in the *Bristol Merchant* and the *Charming Martha*, from *London* and *Bristol*, white, blue, and green Plains, duffil Blankets, and a compleat assortment of other Goods proper for the Place and Seasons, which they continue to sell at the same low Rates they have hitherto done.

MARINE LIST.

Sailed since our last. Aug. 5th. The St. Auguſtine, Legget, for St. Auguſtine; the Friendſhip, Ball, for London; the Fortune, Boucher, for Briſtol; the Sarah, Tilliage; and the Fortroſe, Mackenzie, for Jamaica, the Loyal Judith, Foot, for London; and the Martha, Lone, for Cape de Verd's. *6th.* The Mercury, Webb, for Jamaica. *7th.* The Neptune, Dickinſon, for Jamaica.

Remain Wind bound. The Ann & Mary, Harriſon; and the Nugent, Hutcheſon, for Briſtol; and the Iſabella, Adams, for Jamaica.

Near loaded, or may ſail 'twixt this and our next. The Bennet, Boyd, for Jamaica; the Noble, Whitſon, for London; the Orrel, Bennet, for Liverpoole; and the Spy, Evans, for Boſton.

Arrivals from this at other Ports. The Morning-ſtar, Cowell, at Antigua. The Speedwell, Jones, at Providence.

VESSELS *entered inwards at* CHARLES-TOWN, *ſince our laſt.*

Ship Charming Martha, Geo. Chiſman, from London.
Snow Lovely Rebecca, Robt. Davis, from Antigua.
Sloop Relief, Henry Durham, from Jamaica.
Sloop Harriot, William Borland, from Boſton.

Arrived, but not entered.

Schooner Nelly, Arch. Borland, from Providence.
Sloop Mary & Martha, Joſ. Dill, from Barbados.

Entered Outwards.

Snow Lovely Rebecca. Robt. Davis, for Antigua.

Cleared for Departure.

Ship Friendſhip, Samuel Ball, to London.
Brigt. Anne & Mary, John Harriſon, and
Snow Nugent, James Hutcheſon, to Briſtol.
Schooner Iſabella, John Adams, and
Sloop Mercury, Wilham Webb, to Jamaica.
Sloop St. Auguſtine, Abra. Legget, to St. Auguſtine.

IMPORTED at CHARLES-TOWN, ſince *Nov.* 1, 1753, *of the following Goods.*

New Negroes,	1,739	Pipes of *Madera* Wine,	261
Hhds. of Rum,	1,847	Half-Pipes,	9
Tierces,	58	Quarter Pipes,	20
Barrels,	71	Barrels of Flour,	3,545
Hhds. of muſcovado & clay'd Sugars,	264	Kegs,	301
Tierces,	130	Tierces of Biſket,	286
Barrels,	422	Barrels,	578
Serons,	111	Kegs,	889
Boxes,	3	Bags,	36
Hhds. of Molaſſes,	36	Barrels,	3
Buſhels of Salt,	19,958	Barrels of *Northward* Beef,	339
Pipes of *Fidonia* Wine,	92	And Cyder,	93

EXPORTED from CHARLES-TOWN, Since *Nov.* 1, 1753. *Of the Country Produce.*

Barrels of Rice,	83,490	lb. of Indico,	53,672
Half Barrels	2,837	Sides of Leather,	3,286
Barrels of Pitch,	9,762	Buſhels of Corn,	42,266
Of Tar,	2256	Of Peaſe,	6,240
Of Green Tar,	369	Feet of Scantling, Plank and Boards,	614,627
Of Turpentine	3,893	Shingles,	687,910
Of Pork,	696	Staves,	113,194
Of Beef,	231		
Hhds. of Skins,	355		

Of the RICE, 21,070 whole Barrels, and 1,519 half Barrels, were ſhipped for the Southward of Cape *Finiſterre.*

PRICE CURRENT at CHARLES-TOWN, of the following Goods. (Of the Country Produce.)

By the Barrel.		By the Pound.	
Rice, per Ct.	47 *ſ.* 6	Indico, beſt,	7 *ſ.* 6
Pitch,	50 *ſ.* 0	——, inferr.	20 to 25 *ſ.*
Tar,	35 *ſ.*	Deer-Skins,	13 *ſ.*
Green ditto,	3 *l.*	Tann'd Leather,	3 *ſ.* 6
Turpentine,	15 *ſ.* 0	By the Buſhel,	
Pork,	11 *l.*	Corn,	12 *ſ.* 6
Beef,	6 *l.*	Peaſe,	12 *ſ.* 6

Mr. Timothy, Charles-Town, Aug. 1, 1754.

I HAVE enquired the Price of good merchantable *FLOUR*, and find it to be at £. 4 0 *s. per Cwt.* The *Half-Crown* Loaves to weigh 2 *lb.* 8 oz. I am, *&c.*

JOHN DART, *Commiſſary-General.*

ADVERTISEMENTS.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to leave this province within 15 days: I therefore moſt earneſtly intreat ſuch gentlemen as may be ſtill inclinable to ſubſcribe to *my Hiſtory, &c.* to honour the undertaking with their ſubſcription as ſoon as poſſible.

I at the ſame time return my humble acknowledgments to the worſhipful the magiſtrates, for their indulgence, *&c.* humbly hoping, that, during the few days I have to ſtay in this town, my behaviour will intitle me to their further indulgence, if not procure the ſame degree of their favourable opinion.

THOMAS BELL.

MIDDLETON & BRAILSFORD have juſt imported in the *Katharine*, Capt. *Whiting*, from *Briſtol*, and the *Friendſhip*, Capt. *Ball*, from *London*, exceeding good white, blue, and green Plains, 4, 6, 10, and 20-penny Nails, window Glaſs, loaf Sugar, a choice aſſortment of Callicoes, Chints, Linnens, Cambricks, Lawns, *&c. Iriſh* ſhirting and ſheeting, 3-4th and 7-8th Garlix, *German* and *Iriſh* Oſnabrugs, with great variety of other Goods ſuitable to the Place and Seaſon, which they will ſell at the loweſt Rates.

N.B. *They have alſo Flour in whole and half barrels, Weſt-India and* Northward *Rum by the hogſhead or quarter-caſk, and muſcovado Sugar in barrels, which they will likewiſe ſell cheap.*

THE Subſcriber intending to leave off Store-keeping, will ſell his STOCK, conſiſting of a LARGE ASSORTMENT OF MOST USEFUL GOODS, conſiderably under the uſual Advance, either for ready Money or Credit, and will take *Rice* or *Indico* in Payment. He alſo propoſes to lett his Houſe on the Bay, where he now lives; to be enter'd upon any Time in the Spring.

WILLIAM STONE.

For BRISTOL *directly,*

The Snow *Briſtol Merchant*, (*a Prime Sailor*, Briſtol *built*, *And has good Accommodations for Paſſengers,*)

SAMUEL PARSONS *Maſter.*

WILL certainly ſail in about *Three* weeks from this date, at fartheſt. For Freight or Paſſage agree with

Aug. 1, 1754. ⊕ *Inglis, Pickering, & Wroxall.*

JUST IMPORTED in the *Briſtol Merchant*, Capt. *Samuel Parſons*, from *Briſtol*, and in the *Friendſhip*, Capt. *Samuel Ball*, white, blue and green PLAINS, ſtrip'd DUFFILS, and FLANNELS, loaf SUGAR, bottled BEER and CYDER, nails, window glaſs, cordage, and ſail duck, linſeed oil in three gallon jugs, and paints ground in oil, ſingle and double F gun-powder, and ſhot of ſeveral ſizes, with variety of *Indian* and other *European* goods proper for the place and ſeaſon.

Alſo lately imported in the *Iſabella*, Capt. *Adams*, from *Jamaica*, and the *Spy*, Capt. *Evans*, from *St. Kitt's*, exceeding good muſcovado ſugar, rum and coffee, all which will be ſold on very reaſonable terms, by ⊕ *Inglis, Pickering, & Wroxall.*

RUN AWAY from Capt. *Patrick Mackay's* plantation at *Joſeph's Town* in *Georgia*, the 15th of this inſtant *July*, a negro man named *Quacie*, aged 37 years, full ſized and well made, his ſize about 5 feet 6 inches; he is a very ſenſible fellow, ſpeaks good *Engliſh*, and has lived in *Barbados* and *Rhode Iſland*, from which laſt place he was brought to *Savannah* laſt ſpring. He ſtole a canow at *Tybee*; and had with him ſome white and check'd ſhirts, a light colour'd cloth frock and breeches, an old beaver hat, and red worſted cap: The canow had two maſts, and herrinſide and ſtern were painted white. Whoever ſecures the ſaid negro, and delivers him at the work houſe (if taken in *Charles-Town* or to the northward of it), or to Col. *Wigg* at *Beaufort*, *James Bulloch*, Eſq; at *Ponpon*, or Mr. *William Buchanan* at *Combahee* (if taken to the ſouthward), ſhall receive TWENTY POUNDS reward of either of thoſe gentlemen, or of the Printer of this paper. —— It is ſuppoſed the negro will endeavour to get on board ſome veſſel. ⊖

TO BE SOLD by the ſubſcriber, a choice tract of land in St. *Paul's* pariſh, known by the name of *Baggiaſ's*, containing about 963 acres, of as good land as any in the province for rice, corn and indico, about 300 of which is in good planting order; it joins Col. *Bee's* within 3 miles of *Ponpon* bridge, and is within a mile of *Penny's* creek landing, and has on it a good dwelling houſe, barn, and out-houſes. Any perſon inclin'd to purchaſe, may treat with ⊕ *Benjamin Splatt.*

STRAY'D out of my paſture about a fortnight ago, a bay trotting horſe, about 14 hands high, branded IM on the buttock. Whoever brings the ſaid horſe to me in *St. James's Gooſe* creek, ſhall have a reward of *Five Pounds.*

July 29, 1754. ⊕ *Robert Elliott.*

THREE ſtray'd horſes: One bay about 14 hands high, branded on the mounting ſhoulder *P B*, and on the buttock P's, with other brands not plain, his hind feet white. Another dark bay, about 12 hands and an half high, branded on the mounting ſhoulder *JK* in one. The third is a bright bay, branded on the mounting ſhoulder AD L (the AD in one), and on the near buttock —H. Any perſon claiming the ſaid horſes, may apply to ⊕ *Peter Taylor.*

A Dark bay gelding, about 13 hands high, with a ſmall ſtar in his forehead, branded on the mounting ſhoulder with an O and a V therein, and on the mounting buttock OI, his off hind foot white: Alſo, a bright bay, about 12 hands and an half high, with a blotch'd brand on the mounting ſhoulder, and his off hind foot white. The owners may apply to ⁂ *Moſes Thomſon.*

A Young likely negro wench (with one child) who can roaſt and boil, waſh and iron very well, and do coarſe needle work, to be ſold. Inquire of the Printer. ⊖

FIVE HUNDRED Pounds, to be lent at intereſt, on good perſonal ſecurity. Inquire of the Printer. ⊖

JUST IMPORTED in the *Anne*, Capt. *Elmes*, a choice aſſortment of linnen goods calculated for this place and ſeaſon, conſiſting of low-priced edinburghs, ſhirting and ſheeting linnen of all prices and qualities, diaper, dowlas, ſheſias, checks, garlix, bed ticks, fine and coarſe table cloths, great variety of Scots hollands, handkerchers, Scots thread, Barrand's ſnuff, pigtail tobacco, *&c.*

To be ſold, by wholeſale or retale, at the ſtore lately poſſeſſed by Mr. *Charles Stevenſon* in Broad-ſtreet, oppoſite to Union-ſtreet.

The purchaſers may have ſix months credit, and PRODUCE will be taken in Payments. But conſiderable Allowance will be made for READY MONEY. ⊖

JAMES IRVING has juſt imported in the *Mary Anne*, Capt. *Bailey*, from *Briſtol*, white, blue, and green plains, and a large aſſortment of Indian-trading goods, *viz.*

Striped duffils,	Barley-corn beads,
Strip'd linicys,	Scarlet cadies,
Strouds,	Trading guns,
Vermilion,	Saddles, and
F gun powder,	Saddlery ware,

Which, with variety of other goods proper for the ſeaſon, are to be ſold very reaſonable at his ſtore on the Bay. —— He has alſo juſt imported from *Jamaica* muſcovado ſugar in barrels, melaſſes, *Madera* wine in pipes of 120 gallons, and barrels.

JOHN HUGES Stay-Maker, from *London*, at Mr. *William Evans's* Taylor in *Elliott ſtreet*, makes or alters all kinds of Ladies Stays, Jumps, *&c.* alſo Children's Stays, *&c.* in the neateſt and moſt faſhionable Manner, and begs the Favour of the Ladies Cuſtom, as he purpoſes to reſide here. ⊕

OLD *Barbados*, *Jamaica*, and *Northward* RUM, by the Hogſhead, Quarter Caſk, or Gallon,

Beſt *Madera* and *Fidonia* WINE, by the Gallon,

Brandy, and good Wine Vinegar by the Gallon,

And good Muſcovado Sugar, by the Barrel, or any ſmaller Quantity, by Retail.

TO BE SOLD at *Tradd ſtreet*, where the Buyer may depend on having the above articles of the beſt Quality, from

⊕ EDWARD LIGHTWOOD.

RUN AWAY from *George Gabriel Powell*, Eſq; at *Penn*, a likely negro boy named *Simon*, born in this country, ſpeaks very good *Engliſh*, and is ſuppoſed to have come to *Charles-Town*, to attempt to eſcape on board of ſome veſſel. Whoever takes up and delivers him to his maſter at *Penn* aforeſaid, or to Mr. *Rice Price* or the warden of the work houſe, ſhall have a reward of *Forty ſhillings.* ⊖

STRAY'D or ſtolen from *Charles-Town*, *July* 18th in the night, a bright bay gelding about 5 years old, branded on the mounting ſhoulder 4S, and on the mounting buttock *I3*, with a large ſtar in his forehead; and a dark brown gelding branded ET on the mounting buttock; both about 5 years old. Whoever delivers them to Mr. *Clark* at the Quarter-houſe or *Edward Trafler* on the Bay, ſhall have 50 *s.* reward for each, and all reaſonable charges defrayed. ⊖

TO BE SOLD by the ſubſcriber, at his plantation in St. *James's Santee* pariſh, a team of ſix working oxen, all between 4 and 6 years old, alſo a good new ox-cart with the furniture belonging to it. ⊕ *Peter Galeas.*

At a Court of Vice-Admiralty, held at Charles-Town *on the 13th Day of* May, 1754, *before the Honourable* James Michie, *Esq; Judge of the same, in a certain Cause, at the Suit of the King, against the Sloop* Hopewell *and her Cargo.*

THE Advocate-General moved, That a *Fourth* Monition might issue in this Cause. Upon which it was ORDERED, That Monition do issue, returnable on Wednesday the *Fourteenth* Day of *August* next: And for the better Information of such Persons who may have Interest therein, it was further ORDERED, That the said Monition should be published, and continued, in the *South-Carolina Gazette*, until the Return thereof.

Court of Vice-Admiralty in South-Carolina. (L.S.)

GEORGE

the Second, by the Grace of God, of Great-Britain, France, *and* Ireland, *KING, Defender of the Faith, &c.*

To Richard Mortimore, *Gentleman, Marshal of our Court of Vice-Admiralty in the Province of* South-Carolina, *Or to his lawful Deputy.*

JAMES MICHIE.

WHEREAS (some Time towards the latter end of *March*, or beginning of *April* last past, near a Place called *Choptank* in *Chesepeak* Bay, on the High Seas, and within the Jurisdiction of our Court of Vice Admiralty aforesaid, a most cruel and barbarous Murder was committed by *John Wright, John Smith*, and *Anthony Lewis*, upon *William Curtis*, then Master of the Sloop *Hopewell*, bound from *Choptank* aforesaid, for *Annapolis*: AND WHEREAS the said *John Wright, John Smith*, and *Anthony Lewis*, after the Perpetration of the said Murder, piratically brought the said Sloop, and her Cargo, near a Place called *Capers Island*, upon the Coast of this Province, and there left the same at Anchor, on the High Seas: AND WHEREAS the said Sloop, with her Cargo, hath been brought into the Port and Harbour of *Charles-Town*, and, by a Warrant or Order from our said Court, hath been arrested and seized, by our said Marshal, for the Use of such Persons as may appear and establish their Claim to the same within a Year and a Day; and on Failure thereof, then for our Use, as Right and Perquisites of Admiralty belonging to us.

WE therefore command you to cite and admonish, and these are cite and monite, all Persons who have, or pretend to have, any Right, Title, Interest, Property, Claim, or Demand, of, in, or to the said Sloop or her Cargo, now lying before *Charles-Town*, her Tackle, Furniture and Apparel (and against which an Information hath been exhibited and filed in our said Court for the Purposes aforesaid) to appear on Wednesday the *Fourteenth* of *August* next, at the usual Place of Judicature in *Charles-Town*, and there cause, if any they can, why the said Sloop, with her Boat, Tackle, Furniture, and Apparel, as also the Cargo on board her, should not be adjudged to belong to us, as Rights and Perquisites of Admiralty, according to the Prayer of the said Information.

Given under the Seal of the said Court. Witness James Michie, *Esq; Judge of the same, at* Charles-Town, *the Fourteenth Day of* May, *in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifty-four, and of our Reign the Twenty-seventh.*

Paragraph of the TAX-ACT *passed the 13th Day of* May, 1754.

WHEREAS the persons possessed of several of the TAX CERTIFICATES which were issued before the year 1753, have not brought such Certificates to be exchanged, whereby the Treasurer's Security is still liable to answer for payment of such Certificates, which is very unreasonable: *Be it therefore further Enacted* by the authority aforesaid, That if the possessors of the said Certificates shall neglect to bring the same, on or before the *First* Day of *November* next, to the Public Treasurer, or to *Gabriel Manigault*, Esq; to be EXCHANGED, the said Security shall not, after that day, be liable to answer, or be accountable for payment of, any of the said Tax Certificates, any law, usage, or custom to the contrary notwithstanding: Provided, that notice of the same be published in the *Gazette* immediately after the passing of this act.

ALL Persons possessed of *Eight* and *Four Pounds* ORDERS issued in the year 1740, and of *Six* and *Twelve Pounds* ORDERS issued in [illegible] next, all the real and personal estate of *Virtue Baker* deceased, consisting of part of a lot of land with a dwelling-house on it, next to the subscriber's, some plate, household and kitchen furniture, *&c.* The sale to be, in precisely at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the house of the deceased; and the titles may be seen in the hands of *Michael Jeanes*, Executor.

N.B. All persons indebted to the said estate, are desired to discharge the same, and those to whom it may be indebted, to bring in their accompts properly attested. ⊖

TO BE LETT, the upper part of the house wherein I now live, situated upon the Bay, betwixt Messrs. *Westbrop & Deuxsaint's* and Mr. *Solomon Milner's*, which consists of a large dining room, a chamber, and three garret rooms; also, a very good kitchen and loft, two cellars, a back store, a stable and garden. Any person inclined to rent all or part of the premises, may treat with me at said house. ⊖

THOMAS EVANCE.

TO BE SOLD by the subscriber, the plantation of Col. *Moses Wilson* deceased, upon *Goose-Creek* road, and but 12 miles from *Charlestown*, containing 633 acres of very good land for corn and indico, and sawing timber; with an exceeding good two story house thereon, pleasantly situated and within a mile of the road. This plantation joins Doctor *Moultrie's*, and will be sold very reasonable by ⊖

Joseph Glover.

TO BE SOLD at public vendue, on the 2nd day of *August* next, for 6 months credit, the purchasers paying interest and giving security, at the house of *William Flud* deceased (where *William McKelvey* now lives) on *Goose-Creek* road, a parcel of choice settlement-bred Cattle and Horses, belonging to the estate of the said deceased, by ⊖

James Flud, Executor.

A Likely young negro wench, that can cook very well, bake bread and cakes, wash, starch and iron, and attend in a public house, and is very handy in sickness; born in Bermuda; to be sold. Inquire of the Printer. ⊖

At a Court of General Sessions of the Peace, &c. held at Charles-Town *on Monday the 13th of* May, 1754.

TO prevent many Inconveniences that may otherwise happen,

IT WAS ORDERED,

That all Justices who shall qualify under the present Commission of the Peace, and also all such who have qualified under any former Commission and are continued in the present, DO immediately give notice of their respective Qualifications, to the Clerk of the Crown, that their Names may be entered in the Court Book.

AND IT WAS ALSO ORDERED,

That all Justices do return, to the aforesaid Office of Clerk of the Crown all Recognizances acknowledged before them, and also all Warrants, *&c.* returned to them; *Eight* Days before the Sitting of the said said Court of General Sessions of the Peace, *&c.*

And that this ORDER be published in the *Gazette*.

By the Court,

WILLIAM SIMPSON, C.C.

TO BE SOLD, pursuant to a Decree of the hon. the *Court of Chancery* in this province, before the master of the said court, on Thursday the 10th day of *October* next, at the vendue house in *Charles-Town*, for ready money, the following tracts of land, lately belonging to *John Thompson* jun. of *Craven* county in the said province, deceased, viz.

One tract of land whereon the said *John Thompson* usually lived, containing 200 acres, situate, lying and being in *Craven* county in the province aforesaid, butting and bounding to the North on the north branch of Black-River, and to the Westward, Eastward, and Southward on lands late of the said John Thompson.

And also one other tract of land, containing 1,500 acres, situate, lying, and being on Black River, and butting and bounding to the South West on lands now or late of Samuel Hunter, to the Northward on lands now or late of Anthony White, and on other lands late of the said John Thompson.

And also one other tract of land, containing 250 acres, situate, lying, and being on the North side of the north branch of Black River in Craven county aforesaid, and butting and bounding on the said north branch of Black River, to the North West on lands now or late of John Thompson sen. and to the South-east on lands now or late of William Swinton.

And also one other tract of land, containing 975 acres, situate, lying, and being in Craven county aforesaid, on the South side of the north branch of Black-River, butting and bounding on the said branch, North-west on William Thompson sen.'s land, and South-east on lands late of the said John Thompson jun. *July* 10th, 1754.

THIS is to give notice to all gentlemen, ladies and others, as *Combahee* Bridge is fell down, the subscriber keeps ferry.

Therefore desires all gentlemen, *&c.* who shall have occasion to send negroes to be ferried over, that they would please to send tickets with them for that purpose, which will oblige

Their most humble Servant,

⊖ JOHN BILNEY.

WHEREAS a grey gelding about 13 hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder like this $\overline{\lambda}$–C all joined together, on the mounting buttock +M, and on the off shoulder T, stray'd into *David Palmer's* plantation at *Santee*. The owner may have him again, upon proving his property in the said horse before *John Hamilton*, Esq; in *Charles-Town*, or the next magistrate to where the said horse is, and paying the charges.

WHEREAS the Advertisement formerly published, and continued for a considerable time in this *Gazette*, by the subscriber, offering remission of the punishment justly due to *Boston* and his wife *Sue*, two negroes formerly belonging to Mr. *Hugh Cartwright*, on the terms therein mentioned, hath failed of the end thereby intended: I

do hereby promise and engage to pay, unto any person or persons, who shall or will bring in and deliver to me, the said negro fellow *Boston* and his wife, within *One Month* from the date hereof, dead or alive, the sum of *FIFTY POUNDS* current money of this province. At the same time I do also promise, that if the said negroes will voluntarily come home and surrender themselves, I will yet forgive them, notwithstanding their absence since *October* last. *June* 19th, 1754.

JAMES MICHIE.

TO BE SOLD, a Plantation on Beach-Hill, containing 500 acres of land good for corn, rice, and indico (inferior to few plantations for the latter), and has a large reserve of water, with good high land very convenient on both sides; two good dwelling's, a barn and out-house: Likewise a tract of 336 acres. Whoever has a mind to purchase, may treat with me on the said plantation.

JOHN GRAVES.

SOUTH-CAROLINA. WHEREAS *Leopold Nealy*, of the province aforesaid, hath exhibited his petition to the chief justice and assistant justices of the court of common pleas, setting forth, that he is in the custody of the provost-marshal of this province, upon mesne process, at the suit of *Joseph Glover*, for a debt to him justly due; and that he is ready and willing to make surrender upon oath, to any one or more of his creditors, in trust for the rest, all and singular his estate, both real and personal, a list or schedule whereof is annexed to his said petition; and praying to be admitted to the benefit of the acts of the general assembly of this province made for relief of insolvent debtors: *It is therefore ordered*, and the said plaintiff, and all others to whom the said petitioner is in any ways indebted, are hereby summoned, and have notice to appear at the usual place of judicature in *Charles-Town*, at the meeting of the court of common pleas which shall happen next after *thirty* days from the publication hereof, to shew cause, if any they can, why the said petitioner should not have the prayer of his petition granted. *August* 1, 1754. ⊕ *David Graeme*, Cl.C.P.

BROUGHT to the WORK-HOUSE, in CHARLES-TOWN.

August 1, 1754. A new negro man, who speaks no *English*; has lost the little finger of his right hand, and his left hand is very much burnt with fire; has on a white negro cloth gown, but no breeches: Taken up at Mr. *Beresford's* plantation at *Wando*.

A negro boy about 15 or 16 years old, with a scar under his left eye, speaks very bad *English*, calls himself *York*, but can't tell his master's name, and has on osnabrug frock, but no breeches: Taken up on *White-Point*.

July 7th. A new negro man, with some of his country about his breast, very hairy all over, speaks no *English*; has on white negro cloth jacket and trowsers, and an iron on his left leg with a chain to it: Taken up at *Port-Royal*.

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